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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

FORM APPROVED OMB No. 1004-0135

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS Lease Serial No.

Contract # 362

Temporarily Abandon

If Indian Allottee or Tribe Name

Do not use this form for proposals to drill of regimer an and Managema abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals in Field Office	#Jicarilla Apache
MIT IN TRIPLICATE – Other instructions on reverse side	7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

- SUB 8. Well Name and No. Oil Well X Gas Well Jicarilla Florance D #2 Name of Operator 9. API Well No. Elm Ridge Exploration Company, LLC 30-039-08079 3a. Address Phone No. (include area code) 10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area PO Box 156 Bloomfield, NM 87413 (505) 632-3476 ext. 201 **Ballard Pictured Cliffs** Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) 790' FNL X 1298' FWL 11. County or Parish, State Rio Arriba County, NM C - Sec.6-T23N-R4W SW/SW 12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA TYPE OF SUBMISSION TYPE OF ACTION Water Shut-Off Notice of Intent Acidize Deepen Production (Start/Resume) Reclamation Well Integrity Alter Casing Fracture Treat Subsequent Report **New Construction** Recomplete

Final Abandonment Notice Plug Back Water Disposal Convert to Injection Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days Following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has Testing has been completed. determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

Plug and Abandon

This well appears to be incapable of producing gas in commercial quantities. As a result, Elm Ridge Exploration Co., LLC plans to plug and abandon this well. A plugging sundry is being prepared, and will be submitted to the BLM no later than January 29, 2010.

Casing Repair

Change Plans

RCVD JAN 12'10 OIL.CONS. DIV. DIST. 3

Other

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct			
Name (Printed/Typed)	Title		
/ Am√y Mackey	Ad	Administrative Manager	
Signature	Date	January 5, 2010	
	THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE		
Approved by	Title	Date	
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations there	e rights in the subject lease		
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fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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